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Art 43 Basel Art Parcours

The Art Parcours sector at Art Basel presents site-specific artworks and performances in the historical quarters of Basel. In its third year, the 2012 edition of Art Parcours has moved to the St. Johann neighborhood of Basel. From Wednesday, June 13 to Sunday, June 17 thirteen locations will be transformed by renowned international artists, including Pawel Althamer, Abraham Cruzvillegas, Rodney Graham, Aleksandra Mir, Maria Nordman, Pedro Reyes and Dieter Roth.

The array of high-caliber works, again curated by Jens Hoffmann, Director of the CCA Wattis Institute, San Francisco, will engage with Basel's past and present, weaving artistic interventions into the fabric of the city. Venues in Basel's St. Johann area include Druckerei Ackermannshof, which once was a medieval printing shop; Dieter Roth's former studio; a hidden water-pumping station; Predigerkircher (Preacher's Church), one of the first Gothic churches in the Upper Rhine region; opulently decorated Renaissance dining rooms at the Philosophicum; and the Restaurant Zur Mägd, where in 1538 a banquet was held in honor of the painter Hans Holbein the Younger, as well as various public sites throughout the area.

On Wednesday June 13, from 8pm to midnight, the Art Parcours Night presents an evening of performances conceived by Los Angeles based artist Kathryn Andrews. During "Voix de Ville" performances by clowns, acrobats, musicians, jugglers and various Vaudevillian acts will take over the banks of the River Rhine.

The full list of Art Parcours projects is listed below. Further information on the artworks, will be available at artbasel.com/parcours soon.

Pawel Althamer

Bruno, 1998 – 2012

Foksal Gallery Foundation, Warsaw; neugerriemschneider, Berlin
Skulpturhalle Werkstatt

Eduardo Basualdo

L'Innombrable, 2012

Ruth Benzacar Galería de Arte, Buenos Aires
St. Johannis-Rheinweg 71

Los Carpinteros

A Hundred and Fifty People, 2012

Fortes Vilaça, Sao Paulo; Sean Kelly Gallery, New York
Predigerchurch

Abraham Cruzvillegas

Autoconstrucción, 2009
kurimanzutto, Mexico City
Ackermannshof, Druckerei

Simon Dybbroe Møller

Animate V, 2012
Laura Bartlett Gallery, London; Galerie Kamm, Berlin
St. Johannis-Rheinweg 55

Rodney Graham

Small Modernist Paintings, 2005-present
303 Gallery, New York; Hauser & Wirth, Zurich; Johnen Galerie, Berlin;
Lisson Gallery, London; Donald Young, Chicago;
Restaurant Zur Mägd

Henrik Håkansson

Monarch – The Eternal, 2008
Galleria Franco Noero, Torino; Meyer Riegger, Karlsruhe; The Modern Institute, Glasgow
Water Pump Station

Allan Kaprow

Push and Pull: A Furniture Comedy for Hans Hofmann, 1963/2012,
reinvention by Mateo Tannatt
Hauser & Wirth, Zurich
Restaurant Zur Mägd, Festsaal

Claude Lévêque

Ring of Fire, 2011
kamel mennour, Paris
Totentanzpark

Aleksandra Mir

La 600, 2012
Magazzino, Rome
St. Johannis-Vorstadt

Maria Nordman

Actions in Real Time With Any Person(s) Arriving, 2012
Marian Goodman Gallery, New York
St. Johannis-Vorstadt/Spitalstrasse

Pedro Reyes

Baby Marx, 2008-present
Galeria Luisa Strina, São Paulo - in collaboration with Alumnos 47
Ackermannshof, Philosophicum

Dieter Roth

The Studio of Dieter and Björn Roth, 1995 – 2008
Hauser & Wirth, Zurich
Ackermannshof, former Atelier Dieter Roth

Opening Times Art Parcours:

Wednesday, June 13, 10am – 12 midnight

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, June 14–16, 11am – 10pm

Sunday, June 17, 11am – 7pm

Open to public, free of charge

Art Parcours Night:

Wednesday, June 13, 8pm – 12 midnight

St. Johannis-Rheinweg, Basel and Art Parcours locations

Open to public, free of charge, bars and food vendors on-site

Guided Tours:

Individuals: CHF 20 per person

Guided Tours for individuals are available daily at 4pm in English, 2pm & 6pm in German.

Groups: CHF 400 for groups up to 20 participants

Register directly onsite at the Guided Tours Desk at the entrance of Hall 1 or call +41 76 509 44 45.

New Opening Hours of Art Basel:

Please note the new public opening times for Art 43 Basel:

Thursday, June 14, 2012 to Sunday, June 17, 2012, from 11am to 7pm.

New opening times of Art 43 Basel for accredited media representatives:

Tuesday, June 12, 11am – 8pm (Art Unlimited and Art Statements in Hall 1)

Tuesday, June 12, 3 – 8pm (Art Galleries, Art Feature, Art Editions, Art Magazines in Hall 2)

Wednesday, June 13, 11am – 8pm (Halls 1 and 2)

Public Show Days: Thursday, June 14, 2012 to Sunday, June 17, 2012, 11am to 7pm.

Media Reception: Tuesday, June 12, 2012, 2pm, Auditorium, Hall 1.

Media information online

Media information and images can be downloaded directly from artbasel.com/press.

Journalists can subscribe to our media mailings to receive information on Art Basel.

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